

October 15, 1976

Mr. Tom Murray
Murray Distributing Co.
2001 E. Commercial
Springfield, Missouri 65803

Dear Mr. Murray:

On October 11, 1976 personnel from this office checked the loading dock on the east side of your building to see if the proper corrections had been made to alleviate the problem of storm water entering the sanitary sewer. It was found that the discharge from the sump pump in the loading dock had been removed from the sanitary sewer and relocated so as to discharge to the storm sewer. Since the correction made does apparently prevent storm water from entering the sanitary sewer, then you are in substantial compliance with City, State, and Federal Law.

Thank you for your cooperation in correcting this problem. If you have any further questions, please feel free to call.

Yours truly,

Eugene Pabst
Water Pollution Control Inspector III
Surveillance & Enforcement

EDP:mh

cc: Mr. John R. Nixon, Regional Administrator, Department of Natural Resources
Mr. Henry Cole, Sanitary Engineer, City of Springfield
Mr. Wayne Latimer, Video Technician
Public Works File

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August 27, 1976

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Dear Mr. Murray:

On May 7, 1976 a letter from this office was written to you concerning the sump pump at your east loading dock being connected to the sanitary sewer. The fact that this sump is connected to the sanitary sewer, and does take storm water runoff, puts it in apparent violation of the Springfield City Code, Chapter 30 as was pointed out at that time. It was then requested that this problem be corrected as soon as possible. An inspection was made by personnel from this office on August 25, 1976 and it appears that the sump pump is still connected to the sanitary sewer.

Please notify this office in writing, within fifteen (15) days, as to when this problem will be corrected.

Yours truly,

Eugene Pabst
Water Pollution Control Inspector III
Surveillance & Enforcement

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cc: Mr. Henry Cole, Sanitary Engineer
Mr. John R. Nixon, Regional Administrator, Department of Natural Resources
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May 7, 1976

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Mr. Tom Murray
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Springfield, Missouri

Dear Mr. Murray:

Recently, personnel from this office noticed that the loading dock on the East side of your building has a drain with a sump pump in the drain. It was noticed that the discharge pipe from this sump goes inside of your building. Upon further investigation it was found that this discharge goes to a floor grate within your building. Dye was placed in the floor grate inside of your building and it was found to be connected to the sanitary sewer. Also, a roof drain is connected to this sump.

The Springfield City Code, Chapter 30, Sec 30-5 strictly states that, "No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged any storm water, surface water, ground water, roof runoff, subsurface drainage, cooling water or unpolluted industrial process waters to any sanitary sewer."

Since the sump pump that you have in your outside loading dock, which is connected to the sanitary sewer, does take in roof runoff, and storm water from the loading dock area, you are apparently in direct violation of the Springfield City Code. This problem can be corrected very easily by re-routing the discharge out of the sanitary sewer and putting it onto your property outside of your building.

Let me advise you that you should contact the Building Regulations Department in City Hall to obtain the proper permits in order to perform the above mentioned work.

I would appreciate it if you would send me a letter as to when you expect to have this work completed so a final inspection can be made.

If you have any questions please feel free to call.

Yours truly,

Eugene D. Pabst
Water Pollution Control Inspector III
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